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Applicants: Ronald L. Mahany et al.

Application No.: 09/129,448 Examiner: Toan D. Nguyen

Filing Date: 08/04/1998 Art Unit: 2665

TITLE: HIERARCHICAL COMMUNICATION SYSTEM PROVIDING
INTELLIGENT DATA, PROGRAM AND PROCESSING MIGRATION

Assistant Commissioner for Patents
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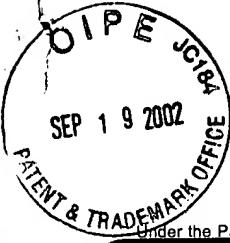
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112 920*	112 920*	Requesting publication of SIR prior to Examiner action	
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115 110	215 55	Extension for reply within first month	
116 400	216 200	Extension for reply within second month	
117 920	217 460	Extension for reply within third month	
118 1,440	218 720	Extension for reply within fourth month	
128 1,960	228 980	Extension for reply within fifth month	
119 320	219 160	Notice of Appeal	
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121 280	221 140	Request for oral hearing	
138 1,510	138 1,510	Petition to institute a public use proceeding	
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143 460	243 230	Design issue fee	
144 620	244 310	Plant issue fee	
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